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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d),

(continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 08/943,399, filed on October 3, 1997, entitled Method for Increasing Light Olefin Yield by Conversion of a Heavy Hydrocarbon Fraction of a Product to Light Olefins.

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 C. F. R. § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d)(4).
 - a. ☐ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

 - b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:
 - a. ☐ PTO-1449
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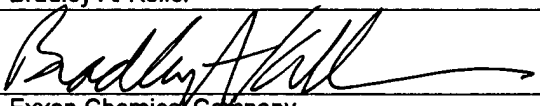
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